



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Eric E. Vickers, Executive Director  
American Muslim Council  
1212 New York Ave., NW  
Suite 400  
Washington, DC 20005

RE: MUR 5281

Dear Mr. Vickers:

On February 20, 2004, the Federal Election Commission found reason to believe that the American Muslim Council violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441b and 441d, provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). However, after considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission also determined to take no further action and closed its file. A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

The Commission reminds you that soliciting federal contributions from persons who are not members of an incorporated organization's restricted class, and failing to include disclaimers in solicitations made through general public political advertising, are violations of the Act. You should take steps to ensure that this activity does not occur in the future.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

If you have any questions, please contact Thomas Andersen, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. Smith", is written over the typed name.

Bradley A. Smith  
Chairman

Enclosure  
General Counsel's Report